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EARLY CONSTRUCTION

OF THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Is Assured by Prominent Officials
Work to Commence in the Spring.
Work on Lake Superior Branch

Ottawa, December 6.—William Wainwright, F. B. Morse and Stephen of the Grand Trunk Railway Company are here to-day on business with the railway department in connection with the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Mr. Wainwright said that it was the intention of the company to commence the work of construction early in the spring. Beginnings would be made with the Lake Superior branch which would run north from the Lake to connect with the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific. The idea is to have an outlet from the wheat fields west of the lakes as soon as possible. Wainwright says that surveys are being carried on as far west as the Rockies.

FATAL ACCIDENT

WHILE DEER HUNTING

Father Shoots and Kills his son in
Mistake for a Deer

Kingston, December 7.—On Monday near Cloyne, Henry Vaness, his son, Archibald, eighteen years of age, and Jas. Parks, twenty-six years of age, all living near Arden, were out deer-hunting. The elder Vaness fired at a supposed deer, and the bullet struck Parks in the left side, and passing out through his back entered the breast of Archibald Vaness, killing him instantly. The father was rendered almost crazy by the awful mistake. The body of his son was taken to Arden, and Jas. Parks was brought to the Kingston general hospital, where he is recovering. Had the bullet struck Parks an inch and a half higher up he would have been a dead man.

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Christmas 1904.

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Civic Elections.

To The Electors of The City of Edmonton.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN:—

In presenting myself as a candidate at the forthcoming election as Alderman, I wish first of all to say that I belong to no party, clique or association, when seeking your suffrages as I think all such are detrimental to the best interests of any City.

I am a firm and strong supporter of Municipal Ownership of public utilities. It will be my constant endeavor if elected to bring about such a condition whenever the opportunity presents itself and I will also add that every condition which hitherto has been entered into by way of contract with the Street Railway will as far as I am concerned be something which will have to be adhered to in every particular.

My experience for the last 15 years in the West, viz. in Vancouver and Rossland, B. C. and Seattle and Spokane, Wash., enables me to say that I am fully conversant with the progress and development of there the most up to date and progressive cities west of Winnipeg and this experience I intend to use for the development of Edmonton if elected.

Edmonton offers the best investments of any city in the Dominion to-day and only requires capital to develop her resources.

SINGLE TAX—I am opposed at this time to the enforcement of the principal as being both unwise and unfair in my mind.

It will be impossible for me to call upon you all personally but by this address respectfully ask for your support and influence. I will be glad at any time to answer any questions regarding my views municipally.

Respectfully yours,

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AT ALL DEALERS.

THE C. N. R.

The Canadian Northern Railway grade is completed to a point 115 miles west of Battleford. Half of the work between that point and Vegreville is finished and some work is done this side of Vegreville. Not more than 150 to 170 miles of grade is unfinished between Winnipeg and Edmonton.

The steel is now at or about the Elbow of the North Saskatchewan; the temporary bridge is about completed across the river there and the steel will be laid to the Saskatchewan river at the crossing above Battleford by the middle of January. The permanent bridge at the Elbow will be completed this winter.

The timber for the false work of the Battleford bridge is on the ground ready for construction in the spring. There is a prospect that a temporary bridge will be run across the river at Battleford on piles to permit of the steel required west of that point and a couple of locomotives for construction purposes being run across during the winter so that the lack of a bridge will not delay track laying west of Battleford in the spring.

A daily construction train will be run to the Elbow during the winter.

It is believed that negotiations are in progress for the timber for the false work of the bridge to be built at Fort Saskatchewan, for delivery first thing in the spring.

The contracts are being let for the supply of ties at Battleford and Fort Saskatchewan next spring.

MAIL ROUTES AND SERVICES

Mail routes and services to and from Edmonton Post Office are as follows:

With Strathcona mail is exchanged morning and evening.

Mail from the south is received daily at 4.30 p.m. Mail for the south leaves daily at 7.45 a.m.

Mail is despatched for Stoney Plain, Onoway, Lac Ste. Anne, Mevassin, Ings, Spruce Grove, and Winterton every Wednesday and Saturday at 8 a.m., and arrives from these points every Tuesday and Friday at 5 p.m.

Mail for Duah, Bon Accord and New Lunnon leaves at 2 p.m., every Tuesday, and mail from these points arrives here at 12 noon on Tuesday.

Mail for Namao is despatched from Edmonton Post Office every Tuesday and Friday at 2 p.m., and mail from this point arrives here every Tuesday and Friday at 12 o'clock.

Mail is despatched from the Edmonton Post Office for Athabasca Landing, Astleyville, and Edison at 8 a.m. every Tuesday; mail from these points arriving every Saturday evening at 6 p.m.

Mail for St. Albert is despatched from the Edmonton Post Office every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m., and arrives from St. Albert every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6.30 a.m.

Mail is despatched from St. Albert for Morinville on Tuesday and Saturday at 10 a.m., and for Riviere du Barre, Egg Lake, Sion, Legat, Villeneuve and Ray on Saturday at 10 a.m.

Mail is despatched from the Edmonton Post Office for Fort Saskatchewan, Horse Hills, Lamoureux, and Sturgeonville daily at 8 a.m.

Mail for the following points is despatched from Fort Saskatchewan on Tuesday morning at 7 a.m.: Bruderheim, Whitford, Wostok, Star, Paken, Ross Creek, Tofield, Northern, Logan, Beaver Lake, Karakow, Hunka, Soda Lake, Edward, Colomesa, Skaro, Viking Desjarlais, St. Paul de Metis, Saddle Lake, Dinwoodie, White Fish Lake, Saddle Lake, Lac La Biche, Pozerville, Sacred Heart, Sollman, Warwick and Andrew. Mail for these points must be mailed not later than Monday, 7 a.m., from Edmonton.

Mail for Beaver Hills leaves Edmonton Saturday at 7 a.m.

Mail for Clover Bar, East Clover Bar and Agricola leaves Strathcona at 8.30 a.m. every Saturday.

The office hours of the Edmonton Post Office are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The general delivery is closed at 5.30 p.m. and opened at 7 p.m. for the delivery of the evening's mail.

The lobby is open for box holders until 12 midnight.

Mail for the south is closed at 7 a.m. daily.

Christmas Presents.

If you have not already enquired from yourself what you will get for Christmas as a present to your friend, you will certainly soon be doing so.



Many People

Are disappointed in getting the right thing, because they put off purchasing too long. This is why we want to remind you so early to buy your goods before stocks are depleted. Ross Bros Limited, have a lovely stock of Holiday Goods, consisting of Ladies' Embroidery Sets, Scissors either single or in Sets, Gentlemen's Travelling Companions, Manicure Sets, Razors and Pen Knives.

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This Seems To Be

A pretty broad statement but if you will call and inspect and ask the price we are sure you will agree with us. Now remember that we have not got all the Christmas Goods in town and we expect that our supply will soon be exhausted, so come early and pick out what you want and we will keep it for you until such time as you instruct us to deliver the goods.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1904.

CITY COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Ed-
monton city council was held in the
usual place last evening. Mayor
Short, and councillors Fraser, Grier-
son, May and Picard were present.

The minutes of the last regular
and special meetings were read and
adopted.

Communications:

Ben Baker asked permission to al-
ter the front of Claassen's fruit and
confectionery store, as he intends op-
ening a barber shop at this stand.
The request was referred to the so-
licitor.

Letters and an extensive report
were received from Willis Chipman,
waterworks consulting engineer, To-
ronto, regarding the water and sew-
er system, with special reference to
the west end sewerage system, which
the council is now perfecting. ar-
rangements for carrying out.

Principal Riddell, of Alberta col-
lege, stated that the college authori-
ties intended flooding an open-air
rink to the rear of the college build-
ing for the use of the students in
attendance and asked what the town
would charge for the water used.
The request was referred to the
city engineer.

The McLeod Electric Light and Po-
wer company, enquired the price for
which the city would dispose of the
boilers and engine of the old electric
light system, and also asked that the
two transformers be shipped to them
immediately. The secretary-treasur-
er stated that the transformers had
been shipped. He was instructed to
telegraph the value of the engine
and boilers to the McLeod company
forthwith.

Robertson and Huli made enquiries
regarding Edmonton city debentures,
and offered to purchase \$15,000 of
fresh local improvement short term
debentures at five per cent. The
offer was accepted.

Reports:

The committee having in charge
the deflection of Jasper avenue at
Seventh, Eighth and Ninth streets
reported progress.

Councillor Picard submitted a re-
port on the private subscription to
the deflection and extension of Jas-
per avenue east, showing that a
number of business houses along
Jasper avenue east had contributed
\$1,150 to this work; checks to this
amount having now been paid in to
the town.

Councillor May reported that the
lean-to at the rear of the Bon-Ton
of which complaint had been made
at a previous meeting, as conflict-
ing with the fire by-law, had been
settled to the satisfaction of both
parties. The lean-to will be brick-
ed in.

Yesterday morning's fire in the
west end originated the suggestion
that a small fire station be erected
at the water tank, and that a hose
reel be kept at this place. The fire
water and light committee were in-
structed to bring in a report regard-
ing the advisability of this.

Some months ago it was decided
that the fire team should not leave
the immediate vicinity of the fire
hall. After some discussion it was
decided to use the team for taking
out the hose for the purpose of
flushing the sewers.

The pound by-law was taken up

by councillor Picard and discussed.
During the past season the pound
was a heavy expense to the city.
The city engineer was instructed to
interview the different livery stables
in the city to see if some more ad-
vantageous arrangement could not
be agreed upon.

The electric light service during
the past week was discussed. Com-
plaint is made that notwithstanding
numerous requests, the power is not
turned on early enough in the even-
ing. The secretary-treasurer was
instructed to inform Engineer Mc-
Naughton, that, when any break-
down occurs at the power house, he
should immediately telephone the ex-
tent of the accident to the secretary
at the city offices. A motion to the
effect that Engineer McNaughton be
instructed to turn on the lights ear-
lier in the evening was carried un-
animously. The new power will like-
ly be turned on in a week or ten
days.

The problem of street numbering
was discussed, and referred to the
city engineer for report.

By-laws:

By-law No. 5 of the city of Ed-
monton amending by-law 214 of
the Town of Edmonton, regarding
the sanitary condition of buildings,
and regulating plumbing, was given
the three readings and was finally
passed.

A diploma and bronze medal was
received from the Toronto exhibition
committee for the display of the pro-
ducts of Edmonton and district, at
the Toronto exposition last fall.

The meeting then adjourned.

THIS IS RICH

The following Winnipeg despatch
to the Minneapolis Journal makes in-
teresting reading for Canadians:

"Folled in a recklessly daring at-
tempt to levy \$100,000 by blackmail-
ing the Canadian Pacific and Cana-
dian Northern Railways, an organiz-
ed gang of desperadoes, it is believ-
ed, is fulfilling threats to blow up
the various lines at different points
in the Canadian North-West. What
is more, the police authorities also
attribute several hold-ups and simi-
lar outrages to these men. So com-
pletely have they hidden all trace
of their identity, that travelling by
rail has become dangerous.

"The police are baffled, and al-
though a score of private detectives
have been working hand in hand
with the secret service men of the
two railroads, nothing has come out
of their investigations.

"On August 4, G. J. Bury, gen-
eral superintendent of the Canadian
Pacific Railway, and A. A. James,
general manager of the Canadian
Northern Railway, received the fol-
lowing letter, written on Canadian
Pacific Railway telegraph blanks.
The words were printed in ink, and
the post mark was Winnipeg. It was
unsigned:

"We are in need of \$100,000, and
have decided to hold up the Cana-
dian Pacific and the Canadian Nor-
thern to the tune of \$50,000 each. If
you decide to treat with us you will
place on your south train white
markers instead of green."

The story has since been proved a
fake.

No Race For The America Cup

New York, December 1.—It is now
a certainty that there will be no
race for the America cup next year.
The rules and regulations governing
the races require that the challenger
shall give ten months' notice in writ-
ing, and as it is the general under-
standing that the races should be
sailed in August or September, it is
now too late for a challenge to be
received for a contest in 1905. Not-
withstanding authoritative has been
heard from Sir Thomas Lipton, but those
well acquainted with the character
and views of the man are inclined to
the belief that he has merely con-
templated, and not abandoned, his at-
tempt to secure the coveted trophy.

FRATERNAL

CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS
Court Edmonton of the above Order
will meet in Unity Hall, Sandison Bldg.,
Jasper Avenue, next Wednesday, Aug.
1st, at 8 p.m. Any who wish to join
are requested to apply to Bro. J. G.
Montgomery, Chief Ranger, Bro. L. O.
Hooper, Financial Secretary, or to any
other officers of the Court.

PAINTERS' UNION.

Local Union No. 1016, of the Bro-
therhood of Painters, Decorators and
Paper Hangers of America, meets
every Thursday evening at 8 p. m.
opposite Windsor hotel, First street,
E. W. Trerett, Secretary.

K. O. E. P.

Jasper Lodge No. 6, Knights of
Pythias, R. Hookley, Chancellor Com-
mander; J. E. Graham, Keeper of
Seal and Records, Meets every
Monday night in Hourston's Hall at
8 p.m. Visiting brethren cordially
invited.

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Bricklayers and Masons International
Union No. 1, Alberta, meets every
Friday at 8 p.m. in Gariepy's Hall.
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MASONIC.

Jasper Lodge No. 78, Ancient, Free
and Accepted Masons, meets the sec-
ond Monday in every month in Mas-
sonic Hall, Second street west. Dr. C.
H. Stuart Wade, W.M.; R. W. Day,
Secretary.

A. O. F.

Court Beaver House No. 7865, An-
cient Order of Foresters, meets first
and third Thursday in every month
in Hourston's Hall. Visiting breth-
ren always welcome. W. Henecher,
Chief Ranger; R. Kenneth, Secre-
tary.

Edmonton Lodge No. 53, A. F. &
A. M., meets the third Thursday in
every month. W. G. Ibbotson, W.M.;
R. Hookley, Secretary. Visiting breth-
ren are cordially invited.

I. O. O. F.

Friendship Lodge No. 7, Independ-
ent Order of Oddfellows, meets in
Hourston's hall every Wednesday
evening at 8 o'clock. Chas. Camp-
bell, N.G.; Geo. E. Ellis, Rec. Sec.,
S. D. E. B. S.

The Sons of England Benefit So-
ciety Lodge Edmonton No. 255, meets
on the first and third Monday in each
month in Sandison's Hall at 8 p.m.
A. W. ROBINSON, A. H. BENNETT,
President. Secretary.

EDMONTON L. O. L. NO. 1,794.

Meets in Sandison's Hall on second
Thursday in each month, at 8 p.m.
R. L. Haskell, W.M.; Thos. Irvine,
Sec., Visiting brethren welcome.

W. O. W.

Edmonton Camp No. 155, Woodmen
of the World meets 1st Thursday of
each month in Unity Hall, Sandison's
Block. A. R. Duncan, Con. Com.; F.
S. Watson, Clerk.

CARPENTERS' UNION.

Edmonton Union No. 1325, of Unit-
ed Brotherhood of Carpenters and
Joiners meets in Unity Hall, Sandison
block, every Friday night at 7.30. W.
A. Deyl, Pres., A. B. Jones, Sec.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION.

Edmonton Typographical Union No.
604, meets in Gariepy Hall on the
first Saturday in each month at 7.30
p.m. President, B. R. Davison; Sec-
retary, J. D. Maveety.

I. U. STEAM ENGINEERS, No. 264.
Meets second and fourth Wednes-
days in each month in T. S. C. Hall
W. A. Brewster, president, John E.
Kelly, Rec. Sec.

PLUMBERS' AND STEAMFITTERS

Local Union meets every first and
third Wednesday of each month in
Trades and Labor Hall, Singer Sew-
ing Machine Block. A. Armstrong,
Pres. W. McAdam, Sec.

NOTICE

Edmonton Court No. 1344 Independ-
ent Order of Foresters meets on the
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TENDERS.

Tenders addressed to the under-
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Thursday, the 22nd December 1904 for
the labor and material required for
the proposed West End Trunk Sewer
and Water Mains in the City of
Edmonton:—
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information obtained at the office of
the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not neces-
sarily accepted.

A. J. McLean, City Engineer.
2-4-6-11.

Telegraph

JAPANESE DEFEATS

REPORTED FROM MUKDEN

St. Petersburg Reports Deny The De-cisiveness of the Japanese Victory at Meter Hill

Mukden, December 7.—Everything now indicates that the prospect of an immediate encounter on a large scale has passed.

During the fighting below Csink Hetchen, near Da pass, the Russian loss was 25 men killed and 123 wounded, including two officers. Seventeen Japanese prisoners were taken one of whom committed suicide.

St. Petersburg.—The war office declares it is without information as to the reported Japanese turning movement, by General Rennenkampf.

St. Petersburg, December 7.—Although the war office and the admiralty are still without direct news from Port Arthur, confidence in the ability of the fortress to hold out continues to be expressed. The reports from Tokio of shelling battleships and of heavy losses by the Russians in an ineffective attempt to retake 203 Meter hill, are considered to be misleading. According to an official of the general staff the warships would be able to take shelter from the fire from 203 Meter hill behind the Tiger Tail peninsula. Reports that the Russians are clearing the mine fields outside the harbor are regarded as the best indication that the squadron is preparing to move their anchorage where it will be secure under the protection of the shore batteries. The Tokio estimate that the Russians lost three thousand men in the attempt to recapture 203 Meter hill, is declared to be absurd, and it is pointed out that such a loss would imply the virtual crippling of the resistance, yet the reports from Tokio admit that Gen. Stoessel continues to make counter attacks.

Emperor Nicholas will start on a ten day trip to Minsk, the Caucasus and the Don to bid farewell to the troops ordered to the far east.

Mukden.—The report that Gen. Rennenkampf has administered a heavy defeat to the Japanese, circulated among the Russian troops, has not been officially confirmed. It is also said that the Russians have succeeded in carrying off twenty-four guns, which they captured but were unable to remove them owing to a cross fire from the Japanese forces. There was no general change in conditions at the front to-day. The prices of wood are increasing though other fuel is becoming more plentiful and cheaper. The prices charged for food by local merchants are exceedingly high owing to the slowness of the arrival of supplies from Russia.

Athabasca Landing

Bulletin Special Despatch.

Athabasca Landing, December 6.—About two or three inches of snow. No sleighing. No freight arrived for the last five or six days.

The river is frozen over, and teams are crossing; but there is no traffic up the river yet.

State of The River

Bulletin Special Despatch.

Fort Saskatchewan—River frozen, crossing safe.

Pakan—River open at ferry crossing, but teams are crossing about a mile above.

Onion Lake—River frozen and teams crossing on the ice.

Disappeared

Ottawa, December 7.—Returning officer Richelleu has disappeared. He made no retruns.

Varsity Bursar Dead

Toronto, December 7.—E. Berkley Smith, for many years Bursar of Toronto University dropped dead in his office at the University yesterday morning.

John Foy, President of the Niagara Navigation Company died this morning.

Will Build Kootenay Central

Nelson December 7.—Actual construction work on the Kootenay central railway will commence at Golden early in the spring.

It Pays The Bell Co.

Kingston, December 7.—This city gets seven hundred dollars annually from the Bell Telephone Company for a five year franchise.

Henrietta

Bulletin Special Despatch.

The C. N. R. expect to run trains across the false work of the Elbow bridge in two weeks.

Methodist Church Burned

Richmond, December 7.—The Methodist church, Elgin County, was burned.

Natural Gas

Brantford, December 6.—Natural gas has been struck at Brantford.

THE WEATHER

Wednesday, December 7—

Max. 31.

Min. 28.

Noon. 43.

Bar. 29.55.

Market for Barley

London, November 30.—In the expectation the Canada will supply a large part of the enormous British imports of malting barley, the government of the North-West Territories has enlisted the help of leading British experts.

Lord Strathcona is now despatching to Regina via the Canadian Pacific Railway, which has granted free freight on experimental shipment of seed, of high quality, namely, Bohemian, which took the world's champion prize at the 'brewers' exhibition; Goldthorpe and Buchan, from Smyrna, which did well in California, and Chilian Chevalier, which has been grown in Manitoba, and has been known to weigh 60 lbs. per bushel. These will be tested in the North-West Government experimental field trials. Canadian barley will, of course, enter the British markets preferentially under Chamberlain's scheme.



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Lost.—One team of mares, one bay with white star on forehead, white left hind foot, about 7 years old, no brand. Other little lighter color bay with star on forehead, brand 38 on left shoulder, about eight years old, weight about 2,850. Finder please notify Edna's stables, Edmonton, or Arthur Allen. d-282-287-c

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The Canadian Northwest Homestead Regulations

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories, excepting 8 and 26, which has not been homesteaded, or reserved to provide wood lots for settlers, or for other purposes, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age to the extent of one quarter section, of 160 acres more or less.

ENTRY.—Entry may be made per the district in which the land to be taken is situated, or, if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the local agent for the district in which the land is situated, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of \$10.00 is charged for a homestead entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.—A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required by the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act and the amendments thereto, to perform the conditions connected therewith, under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of this Act, reside upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent, may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a patent for his homestead, or a certificate for the issue of such patent, countersigned by this Act, and has obtained entry for a second homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by residence upon the first homestead, if the second homestead is in the vicinity of the first homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon said land.

The term "vicinity" used above is meant to indicate the same township or an adjoining or cornering township.

A settler who avails himself of the provisions of Clauses 2, 3, or 4, must or substitute 20 head of stock, with buildings for their accommodation, cultivate 30 acres of his homestead, and have besides 80 acres sub-tenanted.

The privilege of a second entry is restricted by law to those settlers only who completed the duties upon their first homesteads to entitle them to patent on or before the 2nd June, 1889.

Every homesteader who fails to comply with the requirements of the homestead law is liable to have his entry cancelled, and the land may be again thrown open for entry.

Application for patent should be made at the end of three years, before the local agent, sub-agent, or Homestead Inspector. Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

Information.—Newly arrived immigrants will receive at the Immigration Office, in Winnipeg, or at any Dominion Lands Office, in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories, information as to the lands that are open for entry, and from the officers in charge, free of expense, advice and assistance in securing land to suit them. Full information respecting the land, timber, coal and mineral laws, as well as respecting Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or to any of the Dominion Lands Agents in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories.

JAMES A. SMART.

Deputy Minister of the Interior. N.B.—In addition to Free Grant Lands to which the regulations above stated refer, thousands of acres of most desirable lands are available for lease or purchase from railroad and other corporations and private firms in Western Canada.

CHORAL CONCERT

The first annual concert of the Edmonton Choral Society was held last evening in Robertson Hall and was unquestionably what it was intended to be, the musical event of the season. The attendance was large and representative, although not as large as the merit of the concert and the efforts of the Society would have warranted. The chorus numbered over fifty and included as may be supposed a very considerable share of the musical talent of the town. The performance gave evidence not only of good ability, but of careful and persistent practice, as well as of taste and enthusiasm. In a comparatively small and exceedingly ambitious place such as Edmonton it is seldom that a number of admittedly talented musical artists such as we have, can be got to work harmoniously. In the production of last night's concert the only rivalry seemed to be as to which performer could do most towards the general result. And of course the result was a great success. To the conductor, Mr. Percy Hook must of course be given a large share of the credit, but a proportionate share is also due to Mr. Vernon Barford accompanist, Miss Ethel Webster, soprano, Miss Edith Webster, alto, Mr. G. H. McLeod, tenor, Mr. Howard Stutchbury, baritone, and to the members of the chorus, for the result was proof that every one did his or her part well. The wording of the choruses as well as of the solos was particularly good. Following is the programme as rendered.

Part I.

- 1—"Send out Thy Light"
Choral Society.
2-Recitative, "Thus saith the Lord"
Aria, "But who may abide,"
(Messiah.)

Mr. Howard Stutchbury

- 3-Crossing the Bar" (Tennyson)
Choral Society.
4-"O Divine Redeemer"

Miss Ethel Webster,

- 5-Aria, "Lord God of Abraham"
Quartette, "Cast thy Burden"
(Elijah)

The Misses Webster, Messrs. McLeod, and Stutchbury.

- 6-Recitative, "Thy rebuke hath broken His Heart"
Aria, "Behold and see if there be any sorrow,"
(Messiah.)

Mr. G. H. McLeod.

- Rev. H. A. Gray, president ex officio, presented the thanks of the Society for the appreciation shown by the large attendance.

Part II.

- 1-"The Earth is My Possession."
Choral Society.
2-"While My Watch I am Keeping"

Miss Ethel Webster and Chorus.

- 3-"Lord Jesus Thou to all bringest Light and Salvation."
Choral Society.
4-"For us the Christ"

Choral Society.

- 5-"From Thy Love as a Father"

Miss Ethel Webster and Chorus.

- 6-"Unfold, Ye Portals"

Miss Ethel Webster and Chorus.

- 7-"Lovely Appear"

Miss Ethel Webster and Chorus.

- 8-"The Word is Flesh Become,"
Choral Society.
9-"God Save the King."

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THE CONVENTION

Editor Bulletin:

Now that the Convention is over we may look back and make a few remarks.

No representative convention at which it was ever my privilege to be present, was so fully attended. In the very few cases in which by accident or mistake a poll was not represented by regularly elected delegates the most equitable plan was adopted to remedy the difficulty, and fill the vacancy.

What struck me as most noteworthy was the spirit of absolute fairness that animated everyone, especially those on the credential committee.

Now that the choice has been so decidedly made, let us take hold of our newly made Cross-bow with both hands, and surely there will be a vanquishing of all opposition.

D. H. Lent,
White Whale Lake.

ST. JOACHIM'S CHURCH

Thursday Dec. 8 is the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of the Proclamation of the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception; and to commemorate the great event services will be held in morning and evening in St. Joachim's Church which has been tastefully decorated.

Mr. Grant of the firm of Mr. Campbell has exhibited exquisite taste in an elaborate display of varied colored electric lights, both in the Church and the F. C. J. Convent, where great preparations have also been made in the shape of illuminations.

At 7.30 in the evening addresses will be presented to the Rev. Father Leduc on the occasion of the fortieth anniversary of his ordination. All are cordially invited. Seats free.

WHITE WHALE LAKE

The fish supply seems to be ample this year for the needs of the communities.

Mr. F. J. Francey has returned from his Ontario trip. He expects his parents to come out in the spring.

Mr. A. E. Braatz, of Mewassin, expects his father in a few days from Wisconsin, bringing grist mill machinery and a steam power plant, also a feed grinder. This will be a boon to that community.

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The Red Deer Fire

Advocate, December 1:

For the second time within three months Red Deer has been threatened with a conflagration. Both times, however, the fates have favored us, the fire has been kept within bounds. On Tuesday night about 12.30 the alarm was given and the Alford building was found to be in flames. The building was occupied downstairs by Phillips & Strange, as a pool room and barber shop. Upstairs Mr. Phillips lived, and it was his wife, who was first warned by hearing a peculiar cracking noise. Upon investigation smoke was seen coming from a window on the south side of the building. The alarm was immediately given, but there was nothing wherewith to fight the fire but the bucket brigade, and all they attempted to do was to keep the fire from spreading. Mr. Strange, who lived in the adjoining building, was also burned out but succeeded in saving some of his household goods. The total loss will amount to four or five thousand dollars.

G. T. P. Means Business

Montreal, December 2.—(Special).—It appears that the Grand Trunk Pacific bond deal with Messrs. Speyer Bros. & Company, of New York and London, has been completed as Mr. Speyer has gone abroad for a four months' trip. It is understood that the Grand Trunk Pacific has disposed of the firm mentioned \$14,000,000, 4 per cent. bonds at a rate said to be 95 1/2-2. Issue to be guaranteed by the Grand Trunk company.

It is also stated that of this amount a sum of \$6,000,000 will be devoted chiefly to the construction of the Port Arthur branch to the main line, the latter being, of course, built by the Government, east of Winnipeg. Eight million will go towards the prairie section west of Winnipeg. It seems to be well understood that work will be begun at or near Port Arthur as soon as spring opens. Mr. Hays returned from New York yesterday.

Agricultural Colleges

Ottawa, November 30.—As an outcome of Sir Richard Cartwright's trip to Western Canada this fall he became impressed with the advisability of establishing an agricultural school and model farms throughout Manitoba and the Territories as a means of spreading a knowledge of scientific agriculture on the prairies.

The minister of trade and commerce strongly urges that unless the farmers devote their time to something more than wheat raising alone their land will soon be exhausted, as has already happened with many of the farms to the south of the international border.

Canadian Sheep

Chicago, November 30.—The Canadian exhibitors had a walk-over in the sheep department of the live stock show to-day, winning in nearly every class. The first prizes went as follows: John Campbell, Woodville, Ont., Southdowns; Sir George Drummond, Beaconsfield, Quebec, Hampshires; Telford Brothers, Paris, Ont., Lincolns.

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Edmonton, Alta.
December 3, 1904.
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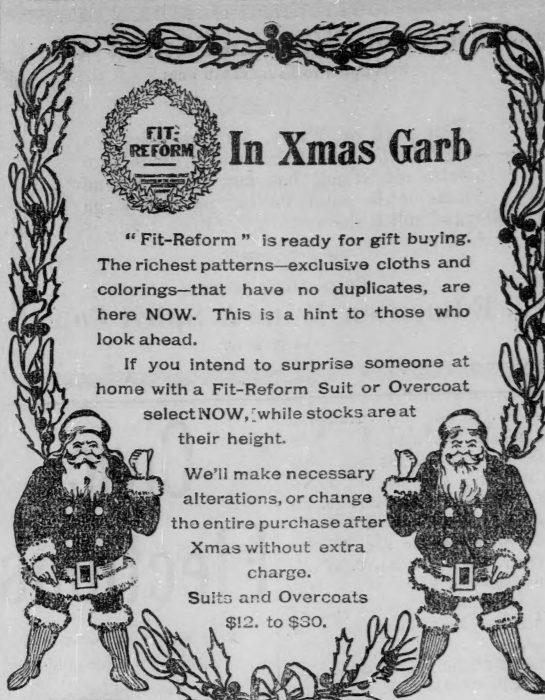
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—H. W. B. Douglas is keeping his bookstore open every evening until ten o'clock from now to Christmas.

—Yesterday's mild weather made the ice on the skating rink last night very soft and before skating was over it was badly cut up. There will be no skating to-night unless a very sudden change of weather sets in before evening.

—A force of carpenters are at work at present on the finishing work of the new town offices. The plumbing and heating systems are also being installed, but the plumbing is greatly delayed owing to the non-arrival of pipe ordered for the building.

—The temporary stopping of boring operations at the gas well, owing to the losing of the drill point in the hole has been overcome. The drill head has been secured, and the work of drilling is now going on with all possible speed.

—The committee appointed to canvass the young men of the city for subscriptions towards the Y. M. C. A. building are meeting with good encouragement. On Friday night, at eight o'clock they will report at a mass meeting in Robertson Hall. It is expected that there will be a full meeting to hear this report and the plan further action.

—Mr. P. T. Fisher, wholesale agent for the St. Charles Condensing Company, makers of "St. Charles" evaporated cream and "Silver Cow" condensed milk, has been advised by his company that they have been awarded the highest award at the World's Fair just closed at St. Louis their products receiving the only gold medal awarded for foods of this class.

—A public meeting will be held in Robertson Hall this evening to give the candidates for aldermen an opportunity to address the electors.

—A. E. May has moved into his new office quarters in the office of J. B. Lubbock's former livery stable on Queen's street opposite Kelly & Beals'.

—The work of installing the new electric light plant at the power house is proceeding rapidly and it is expected the complete plant will be installed in a week or ten days.

—A lecture will be given by Rev. C. H. Huestis in the College avenue Methodist Church next Thursday evening under the auspices of the W. F. M. S. The subject of the address will be "Christianity and other Religions."

—A lecture will be given under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. on Christianity and other Religions to-morrow evening in McDougall Methodist church by the Rev. C. H. Huestis. A good musical programme will also be rendered.

—The Clara Mathes Company will play in Edmonton for two weeks, commencing the evening of January 2nd. The Company is a new one and it is meeting with very favorable press comments from the Regina press where the Company is now playing.

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